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MEMBERSHIP IN THE MUSEUM

The Museum is now prepared to receive applications for membership in the various classes established under the By-laws, which may be briefly described as follows:

Annual Members, who pay yearly	.	.	\$	10.00
Life Members, who pay at one time	.	.		100.00
Sustaining Members, who pay yearly	.	.		25.00
Fellowship Members, who pay yearly	.	.		100.00
Fellows for Life, who contribute	.	.		1,000.00
Fellows in Perpetuity, who contribute	.	.		5,000.00
Benefactors, who contribute	.	.		25,000.00

Provision has been made that those who join at this time will pay no further dues until January 1, 1917, giving them a full year or more after the Museum is open and the entire term of the important Inaugural Exhibition, etc. It is hoped many will show their appreciation of what the Museum means to Cleveland by becoming members at once, so that a large income from membership fees may be available for purchases prior to the opening of the Museum.

The Trustees have decided that, if other receipts are sufficient to pay the operating expenses, the income from the Membership Endowment Fund (made up from payments by Life Members, Fellows and Benefactors), shall, for the first five years, be available for the purchase of works of art for the permanent collection. It will be noted that the annual payments of Fellows (\$100) are applied toward a Fellowship for Life, so that a Fellow paying for ten years is relieved of further dues.

An application form is enclosed with Bulletins sent to local addresses in the belief that every one who receives an application will desire to become a member in one class or another.

The conditions and privileges of membership are described as follows in Article VII of the By-laws:

CLASSES AND PRIVILEGES OF MEMBERS

Section 1. Annual Members shall be those who contribute \$10.00 each year to the Museum. Their privileges shall be as follows:

1. They shall have a ticket admitting the holder and his family and a non-resident friend, to the Museum at all times when it is open to the public.

2. Ten complimentary tickets each year admitting the bearer once on a pay day. These tickets must be signed by the member by whom they are issued.

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3. Admission for said member and one member of his family to all lectures and receptions given by the trustees at the Museum, to which all classes of membership are invited.

4. The Bulletin as issued and a copy of the Annual Report, together with other publications issued by the Museum for free distribution.

Clergymen, teachers, artists and art students may be admitted to the above privileges on the payment of five dollars.

Section 2. Life Members shall be those who contribute \$100 to the Museum. They shall have all the privileges of Annual Members for life.

Section 3. Sustaining Members shall be those who contribute \$25.00 annually to the Museum. They shall be entitled to the same privileges as Annual Members with the same privileges for their family and two guests and in addition thereto, ten tickets of admission.

Section 4. Fellows shall be those who contribute \$100 annually to the Museum. They shall be entitled to all of the privileges of Sustaining Members and in addition thereto, to invitations for themselves and members of their family to limited receptions given in the Museum by its trustees.

Section 5. Fellows for Life shall be those who contribute \$1,000 to the Museum. This \$1,000 may be contributed at one time or may be the sum of successive gifts either in money or other effects valuable to the Museum, the value of said gifts to be estimated by the officers of the Museum.

Section 6. Fellows in Perpetuity shall be those who contribute to the Museum \$5,000, said \$5,000 to be estimated as in the case of Fellows for Life. Such persons shall have a Fellowship's right in Perpetuity for each \$5,000 so contributed, with the privilege in each case of appointing a successor to such Fellow's right in Perpetuity. No future appointment of a successor Fellow shall be valid unless the same shall be in writing endorsed on or attached to the certificate or by last will and testament. Should neither of these conditions be complied with the executor or executors, or the administrator or administrators, of the deceased may nominate a successor, subject to the approval of the Board of Trustees.

Section 7. The Board of Trustees may also elect Honorary Fellows of the Museum, in their discretion. They shall have the privileges of Fellows for Life.

Section 8. Benefactors shall be those who contribute to the Museum under the same conditions as Fellows in Perpetuity the sum of \$25,000. They shall be entitled to all privileges accorded to other members and in addition thereto shall have their names inscribed on the tablet to be erected in the Museum for that purpose.

Section 9. Membership in all classes shall depend upon election by the Board of Trustees.